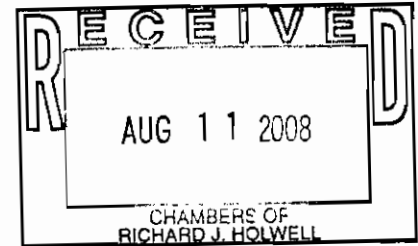
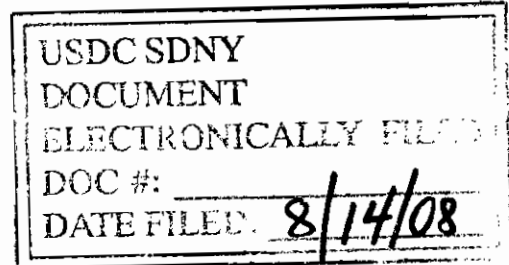


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Dear Judge Holwell:

We represent Galina Zhigun in the above-captioned case and seek permission for her to travel to Jersey City, New Jersey, to take her granddaughter to the Liberty Science Center at the Liberty State Park on Wednesday, August 13, 2008, for her birthday. She will leave her home at 8 a.m. and return by 7 p.m. Neither Assistant U.S. Attorney Jonathan New nor Pre-Trial Services Office Deana Natalia object to the proposed trip.

Thank you for Your Honor's consideration of this matter.

Very truly yours,

KAPLAN & KATZBERG

By: Mayo Schreiber, Jr.  
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*Request granted.*

*Richard J. Sullivan*  
SO ORDERED  
Date: 8/14/08 RICHARD J. SULLIVAN  
U.S.D.J.